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ENERGY HOLDINGS LLC, and MACPHERSON
OIL COMPANY

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FOR THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA

CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL
DIVERSITY, and SIERRA CLUB, non-
profit corporations,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
CONSERVATION, DIVISION OF OIL,
GAS, AND GEOTHERMAL
RESOURCES; and DOES 1 through 20,
inclusive,

Defendants.

AERA ENERGY LLC, BERRY
PETROLEUM COMPANY LLC,
CALIFORNIA RESOURCES
CORPORATION, CHEVRON U.S.A.
INC., FREEPORT-MCMORAN OIL &
GAS LLC, LINN ENERGY HOLDINGS
LLC, and MACPHERSON OIL
COMPANY,

Defendants-in-Intervention.

Case No. RG15769302

Assigned for all purposes to the Hon. George C.
Hernandez, Dept. 17

[PROPOSED] ORDER

Action Filed: May 7, 2015
Trial Date: None set

1 **[PROPOSED] ORDER**

2 The Motion for Summary Adjudication by Aera Energy LLC, Berry Petroleum Company LLC,
3 California Resources Corporation, Chevron U.S.A. Inc., Freeport-McMoRan Oil & Gas LLC, LINN
4 Energy Holdings LLC, and Macpherson Oil Company (collectively, the "Energy Companies") to the
5 First Cause of Action in the Complaint for Declaratory Relief and Verified Petition for Writ of Mandate
6 filed by Plaintiffs Center for Biological Diversity and Sierra Club (collectively, "Petitioners") came on
7 for hearing before the Court.

8 After consideration of the briefing and arguments of counsel, and all other materials presented to
9 this Court, and it appearing that good cause exists:

10 **IT IS ORDERED** that the Energy Companies' Motion for Summary Adjudication is
11 **GRANTED**. The First Cause of Action of Petitioners' Complaint and Verified Petition for Writ of
12 Mandate is hereby adjudicated in favor of the Energy Companies.

13 Dated: _____

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16 Hon. George C. Hernandez, Jr.
17 Judge of the Superior Court
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